

**PATENT APPLICATION**

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re application of

Docket No: Q79793

Hirofumi HONDA, et al.

Appln. No.: 10/781,722

Group Art Unit: 2629

Confirmation No.: 4189

Examiner: Prabodh M. DHARIA

Filed: February 20, 2004

For: DISPLAY PANEL DRIVER HAVING MULTI-GRAYSCALE PROCESSING  
FUNCTION

**STATEMENT OF SUBSTANCE OF INTERVIEW**

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Please review and enter the following remarks summarizing the interviews conducted on  
October 22, 2007 and October 23, 2007:

**REMARKS**

An Examiner's Interview Summary Record (PTO-413) was attached with the Notice of  
Allowance dated October 30, 2007.

A telephonic interview was conducted on October 22, 2007 between Examiner Prabodh  
M. Dharia of the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office and Applicant's representative, Andrew J.  
Taska.

The interview was initiated by the Examiner. Therefore, no further recordation by the  
Applicant is believed to be required.

The purpose of the interview was to discuss the Examiner's proposed entry of an  
Examiner's Amendment, which the Examiner indicated would place the present application in a  
condition for allowance if Applicant elected to authorize entry thereof. Specifically, the

Examiner proposed to amend claim 16 to incorporate the recitations of claim 17. The Examiner also suggested that he could potentially reject claim 16 based on U.S. Patent No. 5,663,772 to Uehara et al. (hereinafter "Uehara"), although the Examiner did not explicitly set forth any detailed grounds of rejection based on Uehara.

Without conceding the merits of any allegations of the Examiner regarding the patentability of claim 16 in view of the cited Uehara reference, and merely in an effort to expedite prosecution of the application, Applicant's representative telephoned the Examiner on October 23, 2007 to authorize entry of the proposed Examiner's Amendment

No exhibits or demonstrations were provided during the interview.

It is respectfully submitted that the instant STATEMENT OF SUBSTANCE OF INTERVIEW complies with the requirements of 37 C.F.R. §§1.2 and 1.133 and MPEP §713.04.

**It is believed that no petition or fee is required.** However, if the USPTO deems otherwise, Applicant hereby petitions for any extension of time which may be required to maintain the pendency of this case, and any required fee, except for the Issue Fee, for such extension is to be charged to Deposit Account No. 19-4880.

Respectfully submitted,

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